GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1688
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Swachh Bharat Cess
De(Nag) Dr. (Smt.) Ratna;Joshi Shri Chandra Prakash;Pandey Shri Hari Om;Selvam Shri V. Panneer;Tiwari Shri Manoj Kumar

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any digitalised mechanism to distribute funds collected under Swachh Bharat Cess to urban local bodies;
(b) if so, the details thereof; and
(c) the extent to which the said mechanism has been successful in proper monitoring of funds and ensure its proper utilisation?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL)
(a): Yes Sir.

(b) & (c): The Central Government is releasing fund collected under Swachh Bharat Cess to Urban Local Bodies through Plan Fund Monitoring System (PFMS). The mechanism has been successful in proper release of funds.